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CLAN JOHNSTON CELEBRATES

Members of Scottish Clan Review Thirteen Years of Fellowship in Local Organization. Purse Presented by Woman's Auxiliary

Clan Johnston No. 185, O. S. C., celebrated its 13th anniversary in Garfield hall on last Friday evening, members of the Ladies' Auxiliary attending as special guests.

Chief W. A. R. Gordon presided and during the evening, Mrs. Robert Low, president of the auxiliary, in behalf of that organization presented the Clan with a sum of money, in recognition of the anniversary.

One of the most interesting events of the celebration was the history of the Clan, compiled and read by George Baxter, a charter member and treasurer, which was as follows:

"The idea of forming a Clan in this town originated in the minds of a few Scotsmen who were already Clansmen. The work was taken up by a native of the town of Johnstone, Scotland, Robert Taylor, who acted as organizer and he was assisted by David Moncur. These two men got together eighteen others who were Scots or of Scottish descent and were eligible to become Clansmen. The preliminaries were successfully arranged."

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BARNARD PRIZE SPEAKING

Seniors Win Two Prizes at 23d Annual Competition. First Appearance of School Orchestra

There was an unusually large attendance at the twenty-third annual public speaking in competition for the Barnard prizes offered for original competition and declamation, which was held in the school hall last Monday evening. Excellence in composition counted two-thirds and delivery only one-third.

The judges were Miss Edna A. Brown, George T. Eaton and Edwin T. Brewster and they awarded the prizes as follows: First, \$20.00, Miss Rachel N. Boutwell; second, \$12.00, Miss Dorothy L. Stevens; third, \$8.00, Bernard A. Sullivan.

The prizes were presented by Mr. Eaton.

The school orchestra under the direction of Mr. Eaton.

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. John V. Holt were members of a week-end house party at York Cliffs.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Buttrick and family have been spending a few days at Antrim, N. H.

The annual game between Pynchard and the Alumni arranged for Patriot's Day was called off on account of the weather.

Miss Maria Fairweather of Abbot street spent a few days this week in Providence, R. I., with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brown.

Miss Elizabeth Loftus, a teacher in the Pynchard High school, has been called to her home in Dorchester by the death of her mother.

Stephen Giliard of Chestnut street and Burchard E. Horne of Bartlett street have returned from a fishing trip at Sebago Lake, Maine.

Miss Eleanor Leacy and Miss Lilla Ritey of Newton spent the week-end and holiday as the guests of Miss Charlotte Keith, Park street.

The regular meeting of the Gen. Wm. F. Bartlett Woman's Relief Corps 127 will be held in G. A. R. hall next Tuesday evening, April 26th.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Baptist church will meet on Thursday afternoon at half-past two with Mrs. Fred Wetterberg at 1 Hartigan court.

The peach trees in the orchard of R. N. C. Barnes at Twin Cedar Farm are in full bloom, making one of the most beautiful spring sights and one well worth a trip out Sunset Rock road.

Joseph Daley of Bartlett street was the winner of the Ford sedan in the drawing at the Elks rooms Tuesday evening. The raffle of the machine was conducted by the Elks to raise funds for the benefit of disabled soldiers who are members of the lodge.

The executive committee of the Pynchard Alumni association is making plans for a dance to be held in Pynchard hall on Friday evening, May 6th. Tickets at fifty cents each may be obtained from members of the committee. The proceeds will be used for the work of the association.

At a special meeting of Andover Council K. of C., held in the council chambers on Park street, plans were made for a reception to be tendered to Supreme Knight James A. Flaherty, Supreme Advocate Joseph C. Pelletier and state officers of the order. The reception will be held on Wednesday evening, April 27th.

Monday night in Garfield hall a whist tournament was held between Andover lodge, I. O. O. F., and Garfield lodge, K. of P. Play progressed at a dozen tables and at the conclusion first prize was won by K. of P. with Walter Buxton and William A. Stevens as successful contestants.

The consolation prize went to James Marshall and Homer Judge of the Odd Fellows team.

Secures Location for Trap-Shooting

A part of the land of Henry Todd in Shawshen Village has been leased by the Andover Fish and Game club to be used as a location for trap-shooting. Several members of the club had a tryout at Shawshen Village, Patriot's Day morning, and in the afternoon ten members were guests of the Lawrence Gun club.

A large consignment of trout has been received and distributed in the brooks and ponds of the town.

"Do it Well for Wellesley!"

The Wellesley Card Party comes Monday evening, April 25th, at eight o'clock in Davis Hall. Tickets seventy-five cents. Notify any member of the committee: Miss Bertha Bailey, chairman; Miss Kelsey, Miss Richardson, Mrs. Mitchell Johnson, Mrs. Frederic Jones.

A Wellesley Economy Sale will be held Wednesday afternoon and evening, May 4th, at the Andover Guild. Clothes, hats, shoes, furniture, dishes, and bric-a-brac will be among the articles sold. There will also be a special sale of Brass and Copper Crafts at exceptionally low prices.

Reserve May 12th for the Wellesley movie!

Dance on Evening of Patriot's Day

The Women's Relief corps held a very successful dance in the Town hall Tuesday evening. There was a large attendance, many being present from Lawrence.

Foss' orchestra furnished excellent music for dancing from 8.00 till 1.00 a.m.

The committee in charge was Mrs. B. Frank Hatch, Mrs. Frank M. Smith, Mrs. Leonard Saunders, Mrs. Edward Cole, Mrs. Fred Coles, Mrs. R. W. Coleman and Mrs. E. W. Buxton.

Advertised Letters

April 11, 1921
Giuseppe Cosardo.
April 20, 1921
George Catopis, Foreign
JOHN H. McDONALD, P.M.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Coming Events

Tonight
8.00 p.m. Town hall. X. B. K. Minstrels.
SUNDAY
7.15 p.m. Free church. Stereopticon lecture on Russia by Richard O. Atkinson of Boston.

Monday
8.00 p.m. Davis hall. Card party for benefit of Wellesley Endowment Fund.

Tuesday
8.00 p.m. Davis hall. Reading by Mrs. Charles Rann Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur F. Hammond of East Pepperell are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eben Simmons of Summer street.

Miss May L. Cole of 130 Main street, a student at the Lawrence Commercial school, has been awarded the O. G. A. Certificate for efficiency in Gregg shorthand.

Representative Charles E. Abbott was the speaker at a dinner of the Essex County Association at the City Club, Boston, on Thursday. The subject of his address was "Human Efficiency."

The Women's Guild of Christ church is holding a food sale in J. H. Playdon's flower shop on Main street, this afternoon from 2.00 to 5.00 o'clock. Home-made bread, rolls, pies, cookies, cake and candy are for sale and also a table with plain and fancy aprons.

The regular meeting of Andover Post 8, American Legion, will be held in the post rooms on next Tuesday evening, April 26, at 7.45 o'clock. On Thursday evening a return match will be played with the Smith and Dove athletic association in the legion rooms. Refreshments will be served.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Baptist church realized the sum of \$115 at the rummage sale held yesterday afternoon in the Buchanan and McNally building on Park street. The committee who had charge of the successful sale were Mrs. Albert W. Lowe, chairman, Mrs. George Dunsella, Mrs. Stearns, Mrs. Curtis Wilson, Mrs. Fred Wetterberg, Mrs. Colver J. Stone and Mrs. Fred Swanton.

Andover Housewives—Attention!

In your spring cleaning, put aside all usable articles that no longer serve a purpose in your homes but are too good to throw away. Bring your bric-a-brac, dishes, pictures, and other articles for which you no longer have either use or adequate room to the Guild House, May 2nd or 3rd, and let them be sold at the Wellesley Economy Sale. Seedlings, perennials, or potted plants will also be most acceptable.

Christ Church Music

The musical program at Christ church for the fourth Sunday after Easter will be as follows:

Prelude, Intermezzo Major
Processional, Rejoice, ye pure in heart
Venite Oudley
Te Deum Barret
Benedictus Monk
Hymn, Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us
Offertory, Fear Not Ye, O Israel Dudley Buck
Recessional, How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord
Postlude Marchant

Deaths

April 20, 1921, Emily A. Pfeiffer, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Pfeiffer of 4 Ridge street, aged 9 months and 17 days.
April 17, 1921, Patrick Lynch of Dale street, Ballardvale, aged 66 years.
April 20, 1921, in Oberlin, Ohio, Dr. G. Frederick Wright, aged 83 years.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Herbert of Portland, Maine, is visiting Miss Mary Welch of 74 Summer street.

Miss Alice Howell is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Den, Summer street.

Pynchard High and the Romans, a club team at Phillips Academy, played a practice game Wednesday afternoon. The Romans won 10-1.

The estate of the late Mrs. Susan B. Richards, the inventory of which was filed at Probate Court, Salem, during the past week, was valued at \$115,368.73.

Miss Mary G. Kierstead, formerly of Andover, is a member of the 1921 class of nurses graduated from the Worcester City hospital last Friday night. Miss Kierstead has been offered a position on the faculty of the hospital.

The missionary department of the Women's Union of the South church held its regular monthly meeting in the vestry yesterday afternoon at 4.00 o'clock. The program was by the Junior Helpers and sketches were presented of scenes from the lives of children of the Near East.

Charged With Operating Automobile While Under the Influence of Liquor

Michael Wheatley of Lawrence was arrested Monday night by the local police and charged with operating an automobile while under the influence of liquor. His bail was placed at \$100, which was furnished by Frank O'Brien.

A hearing on the case will take place next Tuesday afternoon. The occasion of his arrest was a collision between the automobile of Cornelius A. Wood, driven by his chauffeur, and a Hudson machine driven by Michael Wheatley. The accident occurred shortly before midnight on North Main street near the Wood residence. Both machines were damaged, but nobody was injured.

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7. BONDS 1,401,007 82
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"DOWN IN MAINE"

Dramatic Club of Andover Council 1078, K. of C., Gives Four-Act Drama in Town Hall, Followed By Dancing

SHAWSHEN DRAMATICS

Plays Twice Presented Before Appreciative Audiences. Children Score Success on the Stage

The Shawshen Dramatic club scored another success when it presented "The Playroom" and "Double-Crossed" before crowded houses at Arden Casino on Friday and Saturday evenings of last week. The popularity of amateur dramatics and the success of last year assured the club of a capacity audience from the first. The plays, though of an entirely different type, were equally as good as those of last year.

The acting of the two children, Florence Bilodeau and Helen Williams, was one of the most interesting and charming features of the entertainment. Their graceful impersonations of Lisabeth, a dream child, and Fanny, a real child, were natural and unaffected, entirely lacking the stiffness resulting from over-training.

The setting for "The Playroom" was very unusual, representing the interior of a stable perfect in every detail. The lighting effects were very well planned so that the sunlight appeared to fall aslant through a casement window showing the two children at play or the pretty tableau of Cecily as she and her dream child imagined the home-coming of the man of the house. In the dimmer corners were the stalls piled high with furniture. At the back of the stage an old-fashioned sliding door opened upon a road leading away through the fields.

Cecily, whose lover has not returned from the war and who finds her solace in the hours spent in the stable where

The third and best annual entertainment given by the Dramatic club of Andover Council 1078 Knights of Columbus was "Down in Maine," a four-act drama presented before a large audience in the town hall on Wednesday evening.

The characters in the play are the owner of "Hardscrabble Farm," who lives by the Golden Rule; his millionaire brother who has been blinded to the worthwhile things of life by a greed for wealth; the young inventor whose ambitions are finally realized; the millionaire's daughter, who falls in love with the inventor, the kind-hearted farmer's wife; the hired man and his daughter; the lawyer, the stuttering lover, the old fisherman, the country "gal" who is "forty-three and desperate", and lastly the "Fresh Air" kid.

The plot centers around "Hardscrabble Farm," the Cummings homestead down in Maine. Zeph Cummings, who believes in the Golden Rule and practices what he preaches, is owner of the farm, having worked hard for many years to pay for the homestead which his father had mortgaged to send a younger brother, Ralph, to college. Ralph is now a millionaire, selfish, arrogant and unappreciative of the sacrifices which his family made to give him an education. With his daughter, Susie, he spends a vacation at the old homestead. During their stay on the farm, Susie falls in love with a summer boarder Neil Wentworth, a poor but ambitious inventor. They become engaged, whereupon Ralph, furious at the thought of his daughter marrying below her class, disowns her and drives her out of his home. But time brings many changes. Wentworth's inventions prove very successful and he becomes wealthy. On the other hand Ralph loses his immense fortune in

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AT THE THEATRES

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Today

Edith Roberts in "White Youth."
Stuart Holmes in "Man's Plaything."
Mutt and Jeff Comics.

Tomorrow

Olive Thomas in "Everybody's Sweetheart."
Rolin Comedy.
Pathe News.
"The Silent Avenger."

Monday, Tuesday, April 25-26
Clara Kimball Young in "Mid-Channel."

Mack Sennett Comedy, "His Last False Step."
Topic of the Day.

Wednesday, April 27

Jewel Cumen in "The Silver Lining."
Pathe News.
Rolin Comedy.
"Bride 13."

Thursday, April 28

Seaside Hayakawa in "The First Born."
Geraldine Farrar in "The World and Its Woman."
Paramount Magazine.

Friday, April 29

All Star cast in "Two Kinds of Love."
Marie Doro in "Twelve-Ten."
Mutt and Jeff Comics.

Saturday, April 30

Elaine Hammerstein in "Pleasure Seekers."
Buster Keaton in "The Haunted House."
Pathe News.
"The Silent Avenger."

One of the finest motion pictures of the year is to appear under the suggestive title of "Mid-Channel," the famous stage-play from the pen of England's foremost playwright, Sir Arthur Wing Pinero, and enacted on the screen by Clara Kimball Young.

The strength, the timeliness and the intensity of "Mid-Channel" needs no comment, as the play has already won world-wide praise since its appearance on Broadway with no less a star than Ethel Barrymore in the role now enacted by Miss Young. It is enough to say that Clara Kimball Young reveals a dramatic magnetism that is nothing short of electric in its force, and displays an interpretative ability that has rarely been seen in any motion picture.

That "Mid-Channel" is considered by critics the world over as Pinero's greatest drama of domestic life is enough to insure the tremendous popularity of this super-picture. And when we add that the play gains infinitely in its charm by the luxurious settings and rich scenic effects—that could not be brought out on an indoor stage, then the triumph of this superb photodrama of modern marriage is beyond doubt. It is only natural that a play dealing with the most critical period of married life—figuratively called "Mid-Channel" because that stage of domestic affairs resembles the stormy center of the English Channel in its treachery and danger, should receive unanimous applause as

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PLYMOUTH

Naturally, a great welcome awaits Mr. William Faversham in Boston, for everyone knows of the great success he has enjoyed this entire season in New York City, where he has been starring in Mark Twain's beautiful story of "The Prince and the Pauper" and all will be anxious to see him and his famous production. The tour is under the direction of Mr. Lee Schubert who brings Mr. Faversham and his production to the Plymouth Theatre (Boston) beginning Monday evening, May 2nd, with usual Thursday and Saturday matinees. With a short rest in the summer, he will open in the East, later going to the Pacific coast, which will take up an entire year.

The story of "The Prince and the Pauper" is so well known that it is useless to give the charming tale of the two boys of which Mark Twain wrote: "I will set down a tale as it was told to me by one who had it of his father, which later had it of his father and so on. It may be history, it may be only a legend, a tradition. It may have happened, it may not have happened; but it could have happened."

"The Prince and the Pauper" has glamour, humor and excitement, which are enough for any play, and are a few of the reasons for its great success. We all know who Mr. Faversham can do with a romantic role and it is said that not only does he give a most finished performance, but that his fine acting seems to inspire everyone in his large company to do greater things in presenting the many characterizations of this story.

Ruth Findlay has won new laurels in her portrayal of the dual roles, and the others of note in the supporting company are: Mary Rehan, Madeleine King, Diana Bourbon, Frederick Lloyd, Lowden Adams, John Anthony, Walter Sherwin, F. Gatenby Bell, Cecil Yapp and others.

Designation of Cadet to U. S. Military Academy

Washington, D. C., April 16, 1921
The War Department has just requested me to designate a cadet to the United States Military Academy at West Point with a view to his admission to the Academy on July 1, 1921; and also to designate a first and second alternate candidate. The United States Civil Service Commission will hold an "unofficial" examination in my behalf at the City Hall, Lowell, Massachusetts, on May 14, 1921, at 9.00 a.m. The subjects will be algebra, geometry, grammar, geography, United States history, and general history. The examination is open to every bona-fide resident of the Fifth Congressional District, who on July 1, 1921, has reached his seventeenth but not his twenty-second birthday.

The three candidates who secure the highest ranks in the above examination will be required to take an unofficial physical examination also; if successful I shall name them in order of mental rank as principal, first alternate, and second alternate. They will then be subjected to official mental and physical examinations conducted by the Government.

I reserve the right to reject any applicant who appears to be unfitted to make a successful officer; I also reserve the right to modify the foregoing conditions as may become necessary.

Those desiring to take the unofficial examination of May 14, 1921, must obtain from me a card of authorization as soon as possible, but not later than May 7, 1921.

JOHN JACOB ROGERS
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

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"DOWN IN MAINE"

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the stock market and returns to the old homestead poor in health and broken in spirit. During the Christmas season Neil and Susie return to the farm after a trip to Europe. Ralph gladly forgives his daughter and happiness reigns supreme again at "Hardscrabble Farm."

Intertwined with the major plot are several minor plots portraying the humorous love affairs of the group of country folks. Keziah Ketchum, "forty-three and desperate," manages after much difficulty to secure a husband in the person of Bingle, a fisherman. Likewise, Mose Gossin, who is handicapped in his love-making by his stuttering, becomes engaged to Betsey Tomps after considerable encouragement on the part of the young lady.

Special mention should be made of the acting of Joseph Fallon as Zeph Cummings, of Helena Brady as Keziah and Arthur Leary as Mose Gossin.

The cast of characters was as follows:

Joseph Fallon
John P. S. Doherty
Raymond W. English
George P. Markey
John L. Dugan
Mr. Holden, a lawyer
Raymond Barry
Jimmy, a "Fresh Air" kid
Arthur Lavery
Mose Gossin, a stuttering lover
Arthur Leary
Susie Cummings, Ralph's daughter
Agnes Dugan
Mrs. Cummings, Zeph's wife
Anna Hennessey
Keziah, "Forty-three and Desperate"

Helena Brady
Anna Brady
Betsey Tomps

Herbert W. Ford was the coach, acting in that capacity for the third successive year.

Between the acts the McIsaac brothers of Boston entertained with popular song hits and at the close dancing was enjoyed till midnight, excellent music being furnished by Buckley's orchestra.

The committee in charge of the successful performance was Timothy J. Madden, chairman; John Pickles, John Green, John Harnedy and Frank S. McDonald.

Local Woman to Teach at Ocean Park Missionary Conference

The Ocean Park Missionary Education Conference held at Ocean Park, Maine, on Old Orchard beach, July 20th to 30th, is the only summer conference in New England specializing in the training of missionary education leadership for the churches of all denominations and for all departments of the church. Pastors, Sunday School superintendents and teachers, Young People's society workers, especially members of Missionary committees and Women's Missionary society workers all have special courses provided.

Announcement can be made at this time of some of the leaders. Miss Mabel E. Emerson of the American Board will teach Dr. Arthur J. Brown's revised "Why and How of Foreign Missions." Miss Beulah S. Cone of Boston, a leader in the Universalist's young people's work, will teach Miss Hubbard's book for young people, "A Noble Army." Miss May Huston of New York, Baptist Missionary Education leader, will teach the women's foreign book, "The Kingdom and the Nations." The leader for the home mission book, "From Survey to Service" by H. Paul Douglas, will be announced soon. The clars in Missionary Dramatics will be taught by Dr. Mary Alice Emerson of Boston University as last year. Primary and Junior graded missionary instruction will be taught by Miss Mary Noble of Buffalo, N. Y., leader of the Baptist Children's World Crusade. Intermediate grade missionary instruction by Rev. Ernest F. Morrill of Orange, N. J., a former Ocean Park leader who will also have charge of the Life Work meetings. The special feature of the conference will be the Missionary Bible Class for the entire conference at the closing period of each morning, led by President J. Stanley Durkee of Howard University, Washington, D. C.

The various Home and Foreign Boards will furnish as usual able missionaries as platform meeting speakers. Miss Miriam L. Woodberry of New

York Women's Secretary of the Congregational Home Missionary Society will be one of the speakers. The chairman, Rev. Asa M. Parker of Bridgewater, Mass., will conduct the morning period of Intercession as usual.

Recreation is given ample recognition in the program, each afternoon being used wholly for games and sports, surf bathing and excursions. The combination of pine woods and ocean beach make this an ideal vacation center.

Greatly improved rooming and dining facilities will be available this summer through the purchase by the New England Baptist Conference of the Milliken property, "Tanglewood" which is being remodelled and enlarged as a conference headquarters with rooming accommodations for seventy-five, and dining room to hold 250, thus allowing the entire conference to eat together; social rooms, conference office and bookstore. This fills a long-felt want in the life of the various conferences meeting at Ocean Park.

Rates are very reasonable. Registration fee, \$5.00. House party groups of delegates renting a cottage together may greatly reduce expense. Further information furnished on application to Rev. Asa M. Parker, chairman, Bridgewater, Mass.

Resolutions on Death of Charles W. Clark

The Free church has adopted the following resolutions on the death of Charles W. Clark:

"The sudden death of Deacon Charles W. Clark on Sunday morning, March 13th, 1921, has brought great sorrow and loss to the Free Christian church.

"He joined it as a young man in 1875 and ever afterward served it actively.

"For fourteen years he was a deacon and at his death held also the offices of moderator, auditor, and chairman of the committee for the celebration of the seventy-fifth anniversary.

"In his private life he sustained heavy burdens and severe trials with fortitude and patience, and yet maintained an ardent interest in public affairs.

"We honor his memory as a Christian citizen and loyal member of the church.

"In recognition of his character and faithful service we recommend that this testimonial be entered in the records of the church and that a copy of it be sent to his widow and children."

Ministers' Meeting

The local Association of Andover's ministers held its regular meeting last Thursday at the home of George B. Frost, on Highland road. The hour was given to the discussion of the results reached by a scientific investigation of spiritualism by Sir Oliver Lodge and Sir Arthur Conan Doyle.

A brief yet comprehensive paper was read by Rev. C. W. Henry, rector of the Episcopal church. Mr. Henry maintained that belief in the continuity of personality did not rest and could not rest upon scientifically proved facts, but rather upon the utterance of Jesus Christ reinforced by the ascertained laws of the human mind. Firmly believing this, he nevertheless held his mind hospitably open to the widest and most searching investigation into spiritual phenomena, believing that any system of theology to be true, must hold within itself room for all ascertainable facts.

A general discussion followed, out of which emerged the clear evidence that the ministers of Andover were abreast of the latest results of modern thought. Rooted and grounded in Christian faith—a faith tested by experience, and found to be in accord with their original constitution—these ministers neither look for nor need any props constructed out of scientific timber. Andover is to be congratulated in having as leaders of its religious thought a group of men whose spiritual vision, breadth of intellect, kindness of heart and unity of purpose exemplify the best in human achievement.

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HERE AND THERE

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt has called upon women voters to end all wars.

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Dr. Eliot says that in his youth, no gentleman dreamed of smoking while riding or walking with a lady. It simply wasn't done.

We must remind the doctor that times have changed. He must not forget that his youth was spent in the days when men were virile and sturdy—before they became effeminate.

Governor Kendall of Iowa has just signed a bill making the sale of cigarettes in that state lawful after July 1st next.

Now we know why people are saying that the country is going to the bow-wows.

However, those who fear for the safety of the Republic must be relieved to learn that the advance of sin and iniquity in Iowa has been somewhat offset by the recent repulse sustained by the forces of evil in New York.

Says one of our esteemed contemporaries, speaking of the North Andover Union school, "during the past eight days, from a total of 163 pupils, 690 half-pint bottles of milk have been taken."

We can't quite make out whether this is a joke on the prohibition agent, as everything seems to be nowadays, or whether it is a case of cruelty to children.

Whichever it is, the practice should be stopped.

However, it throws an interesting side-light on the situation in view of the present local agitation.

On second thought the quotation reads like a statement from the advertising circular of a Jersey cow farm.

Mr. Gilbert K. Chesterton has returned to his native hedge after enervating an otherwise very dull winter for the intelligentsia.

His criticisms of prohibition have been both able and interesting.

But we do think that there are thousands of able Americans who could have done the same thing just as well, and would have been glad to do it for much less money.

We learn with interest that Rear Admiral Cary T. Grayson will go on a Chautauqua tour next summer to lecture to the country at large on "How I Keep Presidents in Good Condition."

An interesting if not a well-chosen subject.

In the recent poll of the seniors of the Sheffield Scientific School at Yale University the S. E. P. was voted the favorite magazine with 27 votes, with 9 for the Literary Digest, 6 for the Cosmopolitan, 3 for the Police Gazette, 2 for the Yale Review and 2 for Parisian Life.

We should say that the first 27 are good American citizens, rather inclined to be human, and all in all very honest. The next 9 made their choice because they were taking an economics course, and were in danger of flunking it, and because they were sure the prof read the street car ads. No remarks necessary on the Cosmopolitan six, but we would like to shake the hands of the five tried men and true who took their pens boldly in hand and announced to the world their liking for the Police Gazette and Parisian Life. Any man who would do that wouldn't even lie to his wife.

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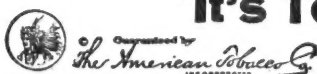
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Peking Union Medical College

The Peking Union Medical College consists of three distinct organizations: Pre-Medical School, the Medical School and the Hospital. I know almost nothing of the first two except that the first has been established for a number of years and that this fall the second class entered the medical school.

The hospital is still in the old building, that they took over from the missionary societies, which is small and inadequate. It is chiefly a men's hospital, the work being done by men nurses under the supervision of the foreign trained nurses. There are a few private rooms in which they can care for a few Chinese women or foreign patients. In June, possibly before, they expect to open the splendid new buildings in which they will be able to care for all types of diseases and all classes of people. They will have a large out-patient department which it seems to me will prove to be a very important department, enabling them to reach and educate a large number of the population.

The aim of the P. U. M. C. is not to care for the largest number of patients possible, nor yet to train as many doctors and nurses as possible, but to select with care their students and give them the very best training, that they in turn may teach and supervise in hospitals and outlying districts of China. There are to be no more men student nurses admitted. They want to train women in the future.

Of course research work will be an important part of their work. Miss Embrey, the food expert, is carrying on extensive investigations of Chinese foods. From these studies, she has made out the diets that are being used to feed the famine sufferers. Here in Peking we do not come in contact with many of the sufferers. All that we learn is indirectly and reports vary greatly. Someone that I heard lecture said that he had just come through villages that would average about thirty people and that they were averaging two deaths a day. Here in the North, they have a grain,

I can't pretend to tell you its name, that is like our millet but grows like our ensilage corn, only heavier and fewer leaves near the ground. This is not only their chief article of food but they use the stalks for fuel. It seems that their crop has failed for two years now, so that they have no seed to start the new crop. The chief cause of the famine was lack of rain last spring, yet they tell me you can dig down a few feet most anywhere in China and get plenty of water. Everyone who lectures to us, or we talk to, has a different remedy to offer for the ills of China, but it does seem quite apparent that men with technical education could be of much more service to China than men with only religious or classical education.

I should have said, in connection with what I have said of P. U. M. C., that this is only a part of the work done by the Rockefeller Foundation in China. There is, what is known as the China Medical Board which contributes to hospitals founded and run by the different missionary organizations scattered all over China. This hospital also comes under that Board.

It is going to be exceedingly interesting to see this new work grow and develop. It has such wonderful possibilities and splendid people connected with it.

LUCY B. ABBOTT

To Find the Center of Population

The center of population may be considered as the center of gravity for the population of the United States, that is to say, if the surface of the United States be regarded as a rigid level plane without weight but having the population distributed thereon as at present, each individual inhabitant, being assumed to have the same weight as every other inhabitant, would exact a pressure on any given point in the plane directly proportioned to his distance from that point. The center of gravity for this plane or the pivotal point on which it would balance, is the point referred to by the term "center of population."

SHAWSHEEN DRAMATICS

(Continued from page 1)

her lares and penates are stored and where her imagination conjures up a home, a husband, and a child was successfully portrayed by Mrs. George Wallace.

The matter-of-fact sister of Cecily, Ethel, and her husband, Thomas, who wish to appropriate the "playroom" for the practical purpose of housing an automobile, were played by Miss Emma Holt and Christopher Kehoe. The part of the fiancé, Roger, whose return makes more dreaming unnecessary, was taken by Gordon Gillispie.

"Double-Crossed" was a rollicking farce in which the principal parts of a young lawyer, Mel Tremens, and his friend Joe Thomas were taken by Cornelius A. Wood and Paul M. Rice. Joe Thomas believes himself to be in love with two girls—the beautiful and entertaining Edith Thompson and the sensible, intellectual Mary Roe.

Whether as the over-confident lover, his affections divided between two charming girls, or as the rejected and dejected suitor, or when for the moment he is made happy by being accepted by one damsel, or miserable by being accepted by two, he is made sport of by his high-spirited and not over sympathetic friend Mel Tremens. The part of Mel Tremens was one which gave Mr. Wood unlimited opportunity for the extravagant comedy which he so well likes to play. It was evident that Mel was enjoying himself and the audience enjoyed the situations too, the laughs coming easily.

The charming Miss Thompson as played by Miss Helen Higgins, was very charming indeed. Her powers of attraction at her first appearance were only equalled by the cold dignity and hauteur as she made her exit after finally refusing the discomfited Joe. The part of the sensible and intellectual Mary Roe was well taken by Miss Genevieve McNally.

The cast of characters was as follows:

THE PLAYROOM
Lisbeth, a dream child Miss Florence Bilodeau
Fanny, a real child Miss Helen Williams
Cecily Mrs. George Wallace
Roger, her fiancé Gordon E. Gillispie
Ethel, wife of Thomas Miss Emma E. Holt
Thomas Christopher M. Kehoe

DOUBLE-CROSSED
Joe Thomas Paul M. Rice
Mel Tremens, a young lawyer Cornelius A. Wood
Mrs. J. W. Thompson Mrs. Frank H. Dushane
Edith Thompson Miss Helen C. Higgins
Mary Roe Miss Genevieve McNally
William, the butler Irving O. Piper

Those identified with the presentation of the plays were John MacDonald, stage manager and coach; Cornelius A. Wood, stage director; Ernest L. Johnson, business manager; Louis Pomeroy, electrician; Bert George, assistant electrician. Assistance in costuming was given by Mrs. James Mosher, Miss Berta Elsmith and Mrs. Cornelius A. Wood.

The ushers were Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Ralph Horner, Miss Marguerite MacDonald and Miss Isabel Lamont.

The officers of the club are Cornelius A. Wood, president; Miss Isabel Peters, vice president; James R. Mosher, secretary; P. B. Blades, treasurer, and Benjamin Babb, Irving O. Piper and Miss Ethel Coolidge.

Important Exhibition of Painting

The first exhibition of general importance ever held in this part of the State is open this week and next at the Public Library, Lawrence, from 9:00 a.m., until 9:00 p.m., and on Sunday, April 24th from 3:00 to 5:00.

This Sunday opening is largely intended to attract foreigners, who will be made welcome.

The attempt to interest the people is a novel and significant enterprise in this country where the public lacks an appreciation of art. Above this discouraging level of ignorance, nevertheless, has arisen an astonishing number of native American artists of genius who are somewhat dependent for their daily bread on the chance orders of uncertain patrons.

Now if the public could be educated to a sense of and love for art, and should demand the best that our best masters can produce, the production of our artists and also their efficiency would undoubtedly be much increased.

If our American artists, who are already leading the world in many respects, should become prosperous, and their names familiar, as artists' names are honored in Europe, a glorious epoch of American Renaissance would open.

When the promoter of this Lawrence exhibition visited the Fenway Studios and the "Active Members of the Guild of Boston Artists," they showed their interest by offering the very best that they have.

Even a hasty glance before the hanging was completed convinces one of a uniformly high standard, the more praiseworthy as the spring exhibition in New York and Boston proved disappointing. In Lawrence there are over one hundred paintings, some of them as choice as museum pieces. The first picture that caught my eye was a brilliant portrait by Mrs. M. D. Page, of Mrs. Ladd, the sculptor. A snow scene of great decorative merit by Mrs. L. W. Hale is conspicuous on the opposite wall, while a valuable N. C. Wyeth from New York hangs above over the desk.

In the water color room the place of honor is given to Philbrick—a child's figure. A charcoal drawing by Mrs. Hale is a marvel of exquisite draftsmanship, and two large forest scenes by Mr. A. P. Spear are the more truly imaginative and poetic as they have a sound foundation of good drawing and correct tone values. A winter piece by Dunbar is likewise striking.

Andover friends will like to see a prize winner by Miss Poole and some landscapes by Mr. Pierce. They will take pride in six etchings by Mr. LeBoutillier which are true works of art,

charmingly treated, faultlessly drawn.

As the question is agitated in Andover of enlargement in its public buildings, it seems as if we should go, man, woman and especially child, to see this remarkable collection of paintings, and try to take this example to heart, and attempt exhibitions of our own if only in our own small way.

F. P. McC.

Man Arrested in Shawsheen Village Has Prison Record

Investigations reveal that John Doherty, arrested on the night of April 14th when he was discovered by special officer Elmer E. Philbrick breaking into a tool house in Shawsheen Village, has a State prison record and has served two terms at Charlestown. Inspector Byron of the local police department took Doherty's finger prints and in communication with Boston headquarters has unearthed Doherty's record. He has several aliases and on March 1, 1901, he was sentenced as John Garrity

in the Lynn District court to the Massachusetts reformatory for breaking and entering. May 23, 1908, as John Owens he was sentenced to State prison for having burglar tools in his possession. He appears again on November 15, 1916, as John W. Garrity and went to State prison for five years for breaking and entering and was paroled November 15, 1919.

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**Shirking or Sharing Responsibility**

The writer is in receipt of an inquiry from a gentleman for whom he has high regard, asking if the answer to most of the inefficiency in town governments is not to follow the course entered into by some of the so-called progressive towns, and appoint a town manager. It is not surprising that many people approach the problem of government in exactly the same way they approach business problems, and believe that the only relief from a period of failure or slow progress is to be found through the choice of a new executive or a different system of administration. Business usually responds to this sort of treatment, sometimes with the result of a more disastrous failure, but more frequently with improved conditions and ultimate success. There is nothing to be considered in the business problem except the one end of increased production and more profits.

Government contemplates nothing of this sort, and this is particularly true of government as it operates in town administration. Nowhere is genuine democracy more in control of the situation and nowhere should it be more so. For this reason there are many things to be considered besides the immediate result to follow any particular change in form. Good results have been secured through town management in several towns, but the writer knows of some cases where it is true that such results have been realized with a corresponding lessening of community responsibility that is more of a menace to future government in that particular town than can possibly be offset by immediate advantages. To the writer this seems to be the only answer worthy of consideration by those who contend that full and complete satisfaction in town government is to be secured by this modern method of hiring one big boss.

Just exactly how this works may well be illustrated by the situation in connection with school affairs in Andover, and practically all the other towns of the State. The writer does not believe we should go back to the old system of district supervision through paid school committees, but there is not the least question but that the voice of the single superintendent of schools is the voice of the school committee, and also there is not the least question that nine-tenths of his utterances are his own without reference to the desires of the school committee as expressed in any formal action. This is due to the fact that the unpaid, irresponsible committee dealing with many abstract problems, as a school committee does, soon gets into the attitude of paying no attention to such abstract questions, and leaves them entirely with the paid manager of the school department.

This is not true in connection with the operation of the board of public works, operating through its superintendent of streets. The reason for this is that practical men are there engaged in dealing with practical problems. There is nothing abstract about a bad highway, or the necessity for improving it. It is a tangible situation, easy to understand, sure to be brought to the attention of one if not of all of the members of the board of public works; and when passed on by them, to their agent, namely the superintendent, it goes with pretty definite recommendations.

Let us go slow in Andover and all other towns of this sort, along the road that leads to any further neglect on the part of our citizens of their duties as citizens to administer town affairs along lines nearer to true democracy than can be found in any other governmental agency.

Editorial Cinders

The agitation all around us relative to water supplies calls attention to the satisfaction which Andover ought to have in its own service. Undoubtedly we are nearing the time when we should begin a program of replacement for a certain amount of our piping, and for extensions that should make the use somewhat more general than it is at the present time, but aside from this, the abundant supply and the satisfactory control of the same now in force, may well give to Andover people a source of great comfort. In this connection may we suggest that if necessary the board of public works ought to feel free to spend more than the money allotted to them for an investigation of a proper system of sewage disposal. Of course sewage disposal is a full brother to water supply in any community, and we sincerely hope that the board will not overlook this fact in acting under the recent town-meeting appropriation.

Since the very caustic town-meeting criticism of the architecture of the Pynchard High School, many people have undoubtedly had their eyes turned in that direction more frequently than they otherwise would have. When one realizes the possibilities of making a very great change in the architecture of the high school, in so far as the same affects the eye, through satisfactory planting of flowers and shrubs and vines, it is difficult to understand why the school committee haven't awakened to the importance of such planting. The

building is ugly, but push the planting, have somebody do a real job of shrubbery placing, and in a few years we might have a building really pleasing to the eye. We can conceive of the public taste, and really through that the public need, genuinely served by this sort of interest on the part of the school committee perhaps as much as it is now being served by official finger-nail inspection or some of the other things that are so easily undertaken.

The agitation over the appointments for which the public is holding the senior Senator responsible is inclined to center around a desire that all the appointments shall represent the very highest possible "tone." Of course nobody needs to impress this upon the senior Senator, for his natural tendencies are that way, but we are inclined to think there are things that should be impressed upon Senator Lodge in connection with what people would not call "tone." There are a lot of practical questions involved in the government of Massachusetts where the agents are the men whom the senior Senator will designate, that require some officials not too much enamored with "tone." Some good hard-headed, practical, common-sense men are likely to give the people at large the kind of service they desire much more than are some of the people who have been named for important Federal appointments. From a practical standpoint they are also likely to do more real service for the Republican party. May we commend this thought to the senior Senator, in the strongest hope that he is not going to be carried away too much by theorists and reformers at a time when some real, practical service performed by men of courage is the need of the hour.

Sale by Ladies' Aid Society

The sale held yesterday afternoon by the Ladies' Aid society of the West Church was a successful combination of the usual and unusual; the usual being one of the always popular bakery sales, and the unusual being a sale of children's dresses and rompers.

The little garments for children between the ages of two and six, which were all made by members of the society, were most attractive and met with a ready sale. Each one had a touch of hand-work which gave the garments individuality. A few of the dresses and rompers have not been sold and any one interested in securing one may communicate with Mrs. Winthrop Boutwell.

The members of the committee in charge of the garment sale were Mrs. Winthrop Boutwell, Mrs. G. K. Cutler and Miss Angie Burt; those in charge of the food sale were Mrs. Austin Higgins and Mrs. Frank H. Hardy.

Through the courtesy of the Shaw-shen Boys' club the sale was held in their clubhouse in Shawshen village.

Natural History Society Holds Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Andover Natural History society was held in the Pynchard lecture room on Tuesday evening with Omar P. Chase presiding.

The report of the secretary and treasurer, Warren L. Johnson, showed that the society now has ninety-six members and that there is a balance of \$45.39 in the treasury beside a \$50.00 liberty bond. President Chase reported that \$23.50 had been added to the treasury as a result of the recent bird lecture.

Notice was given of the meeting of the Federated Societies of Natural History to be held with the Brookline Bird club on April 29th and 30th. The Appalachian club will visit Andover on May 30th and not on April 30th as was previously announced.

Mrs. L. Maude Cheney was elected a member of the society.

Miss Clara A. Putnam reported for the nominating committee and officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: president, Omar P. Chase; vice president, Mrs. William G. Goldsmith; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Annie M. Foster.

Button Day for Relief of Ireland

The Irish Relief Fund, being absolutely non-political and non-sectarian and having no object but the relief of the suffering Irish people, is meeting with great success. There is to be a Button Day here in Andover on Saturday, April thirtieth. It will be similar to the tag days of the war. Women will plan and carry out the project in every city and town of Massachusetts. It is hoped that the townspeople of Andover will be generous and help make Button Day a success.

In the annals of patriotism the American Irish rank second to no element of our people and in every way have borne their share of good will, devotion and peril. One hundred and fifty years in the military service of the Republic attests their loyalty.

The American Committee for Relief in Ireland guarantees that every dollar received will be used not for political propaganda, but to feed the hungry, to clothe the naked, to shelter the homeless. The help of all in whom human distress evokes sympathy is sought.

X. B. K. Minstrels

The first annual minstrel show by the four chapters of the X. B. K. fraternity will be given in the town hall this evening.

The participants have been chosen from the Alpha chapter of the South church, the T. K. chapter of the Baptist church, the Grenfell chapter of the Free church and the Phillips Brooks chapter of Christ church. The chorus numbers forty voices and it has been drilled steadily for weeks by James Ryle, who has had much success in minstrelsy. There are six end men with George M. Knipe and Kenneth Wade as premiers. The others are Arthur Swenson, William Davis, James Morton and Geoffrey Nicoll.

Kenneth Coleman will be interlocutor and the show is sure to move along with plenty of pep. There will be many jokes and there will not be a dull moment from start to finish.

There will be several specialties, Miss Ethel Cole and John Caldwell will appear in a duet and James Craik with James Craik, Jr., and Thomas Morton, will give a buck and wing dance. Carl Wetterberg is soloist.

Overture
Opening Chorus
"I want to Go"
"Sweetest Lady"
"Avalon"
"Mammy"
"Margie"

End Song "Jimmy" Morton
Solo "Rebecca from Mecca" Herbert Craven

Solo "Whispering" Arthur Swenson

End Song "Give me a Million Beautiful Girls" James Craik

Specialty (Assisted by Jas. Craik Jr. and Thomas Morton)
End Song "Bill" Davis

Duet "Girl I Left Behind Me" Miss Ethel Cole, John Caldwell

End Song "You May Be Used to Be" "Jeff" Nicoll

Specialty "Early to Bed, Early to Rise" "A Guess" George Knipe

End Song "O-Hi-O" Carl Wetterberg

Solo "Vacant Chair at Home, Sweet Home" "Ken" Wade

Topical Song "She Laughs at me 'Ha! Ha! Ha!'" "Tripple"

Grand Finale "When there ain't no Jazz"

Interlocutor, Kenneth Coleman.

End Men: George Knipe, William Davis, James Morton, Kenneth Wade, Geoffrey Nicoll, Arthur Swenson.

Soloists: Herbert Craven, Carl Wetterberg.

Chorus: Ashley Barnes, Charles Barnett, William Barnett, Fred Bredbury, Sam Battles, Norman Buchan, Russell Carter, William Carter, Gordon Chandler, Fred Cole, Roderick Coleman, Willis Craik, Robert Dobbie, George Dutton, John Frederickson, Howard French, Wilbur Hammond, Edward Hanson, Benjamin Hyde, Harold Johnson, Marcus Livesley, George McCollum, John McGrath, Clarence McIntyre, Leslie Monan, Joseph Monan, Ralph Morrison, John Nicoll, Bancroft Pratt, Lawrence Reid, Walter Saunders, James Schofield, Louis Soderberg, James Smyth, James Soutar, Windsor Wade, Wyclott Williams.

Accompanist, Wilson Knipe.

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Box office: James Cuthill.

Director: James Ryle.

Dancing will follow till 1.00 a.m., with music by Millington's orchestra. Tickets are on sale, a few good ones remain, at the Andover Bookstore.

Appointed Baritone Soloist

J. Everett Collins has recently been appointed a member of the quartet of the First Parish (Unitarian) church, Brookline, where he succeeds George A. Tyler who concludes nineteen years of service as a singer in that church. Prof. Joseph N. Ashton of this town has been the organist at the First Parish church since 1905.

It is a strange but happy coincidence that Mr. Tyler who was an Andover boy and sang under the late John Batchelder at Christ church should be followed by another Andover boy who also received his early training under the same teacher. Subsequent to his connection with the boy choir of Christ church, Mr. Collins sang at Trinity church, Lawrence, and at the South church, Andover, going only last fall to St. Paul's Episcopal church in Brookline.

Mr. Tyler is president of the South Boston Savings Bank and resides in Malden. He was born in Andover and spent his earlier years here where he still has many friends.

Stills Found in Operation Near Jenkins Corner

The most complete equipment yet found in Andover for the making of moonshine was seized at the Blanchard farm on Jenkins road when the police made a raid on Tuesday afternoon.

When the police arrived three stills were found in operation. Six barrels of mash were destroyed and several gallons of liquor jugs and other paraphernalia were seized.

Two men, William Lodgen, 88 Summer street, Chelsea, and Joseph Cohen, 8 Suffolk street, Malden, were taken into custody and charged with illegal manufacture of liquor and having in their possession liquor with intent to sell.

At a hearing before Judge Stone held Wednesday morning William Lodgen pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined \$100. His companion Joseph Cohen was discharged as it was proved that he was only a visitor at the Blanchard place when the arrests were made.

The raiding officers were Chief Frank M. Smith and M. T. Welch, George Dannels and Charles Emerson.

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"BRIDE 13."

THURSDAY, APRIL 28
SESSUE HAYAKAWA IN "THE FIRST BORN."
GERALDINE FARRAR IN "THE WORLD AND ITS WOMAN."

FRIDAY, APRIL 29
ALL STAR CAST IN "TWO KINDS OF LOVE."
MARIE DORO IN "TWELVE-TEN."

SATURDAY, APRIL 30
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Harpist at Free Church Vespers

One of the most interesting in the series of vespers services was held last Sunday afternoon at the Free church when Alfred Holy, harpist for the Boston Symphony Orchestra, gave an interpretation of Browning's poem "Saul."

Rev. Arthur S. Wheelock read the selections from the poem after which Mr. Holy played. It was a delightful service and was enjoyed by a congregation which almost filled the church.

The order of service was as follows:

Organ Prelude
Serenade
Gotha
Evening Song
Edwin G. Booth
Prayer by the pastor
Congregational Hymn 417, "Lead Us, Heavenly Father"
Offertory, "Two Chorales"
Scripture reading, 1 Samuel 16: 14-23
Interpretation of Browning's Saul by harp and voice
Reader, Mr. Wheelock; harpist, Alfred Holy of the Boston Symphony orchestra
Despair
The Beauty of Nature
The Joy of Manhood
The Immortality of Good Deeds
The Redemptive Love of God
Closing Hymn 306, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul"
Postlude, Prelude and Fugue in G Minor

The last vespers service of the season will be held Sunday, May 1st, when Hayden B. Harris of Malden will give an organ recital.

Bridge Club Lunches at Shawsheen Manor

Members of one of the oldest established bridge clubs in Lawrence celebrated the closing of its winter season with a luncheon at Shawsheen Manor on last Friday. Covers were laid for fourteen and in the afternoon the ladies played bridge, the winners being Mrs. Edward S. Gould and Mrs. M. B. Russell.

The club membership includes Mrs. A. E. Butler, president; Mrs. Irene Fieles, Mrs. Edward S. Gould, Mrs. James D. Horne, Mrs. Robert J. Macartney, Mrs. Edwin M. Winslow, Mrs. William D. Twiss, Mrs. Harry B. Musk, Mrs. M. B. Russell, Mrs. Albert Schaeke, Mrs. William A. Gabeler and Mrs. Fred Ayer. There were two invited guests, Mrs. Warren Allyn and Mrs. George Riley.

Miss Slattery at the Free Church

The Margaret Slattery class of the Free church gave a reception to Miss Margaret Slattery, the well-known worker among girls, at the Parish house Sunday afternoon. Miss Slattery spoke of her trip around the world and of conditions in countries which she visited. She said that the people of other countries had an idea all Americans were rich and rode in autos. She also spoke of the duty devolving on American girls to set an example to their sisters in foreign lands for noble and high ideals of living.

Mrs. Margaret Fairweather rendered two solos with Miss Jean E. Dundas as accompanist. The Free and South church chapters of the Alpha Phi Chi sorority were present as special guests. At the close members of the class presented Miss Slattery with a beautiful bouquet and also a picture of the class.

In the evening Miss Slattery spoke to the young ladies of Abbot Academy in Davis hall and the Margaret Slattery class attended by special invitation. Her talk was along similar lines and was greatly enjoyed.

Tendered Miscellaneous Shower

A miscellaneous shower was tendered Miss Gladys Ralph by Mrs. M. E. Dalton and about twenty-five young people Saturday night at the home of Miss Ralph on Chapman court.

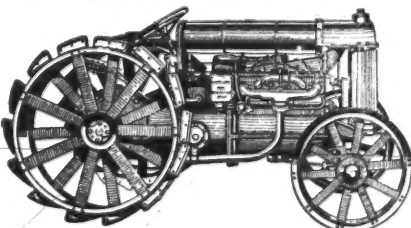
The affair was a complete surprise to the young lady, who was presented with linen and miscellaneous articles.

A pleasant evening was enjoyed, musical selections being rendered and games played. Bountiful refreshments were served.

The shower was in honor of Miss Ralph's approaching marriage to Eldred Larkin, an overseas veteran and son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Larkin of Chestnut street.

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Through Bungalow Windows

Mr. Editor:

Don't you feel the charm of the pictures of yourself and me as seen through the wavy panes of the bungalow window? The grotesque distortion is, of course, due to the faulty medium through which the figures are viewed. Profitable argument is concerned with the discussion of issues proposed, not with the discrediting of personal opponents. Mr. Frost, in his perfectly proper zeal for economy in the expenditure of public funds (and we all commend him for his earnestness) has unfortunately stumbled into the treacherous bog of personal argument, as he follows a delusive will-o-the-wisp. The major part of his plea is carried on the harpy wings of innuendo, by the flappings of which the atmosphere of resentment is stirred. Of course our critic does not mean to be malicious; he is merely creating men of straw at which he may shoot his shafts.

I know nothing about the incomes of Messrs. Cole, Buttrick, O'Connell and Cross, the other participating members of the committee, but I do know that they are all hard-working, hard-headed business men, and I sincerely hope that they all receive "fifty thousand a year." Surely the practical experience and business acumen of these gentlemen should give our critic pause in launching forth indiscreet insinuations about bloated bond-holders. Possibly members of the committee have had sadder experience of taxes on real estate than any that has roused the critic's oft-repeated laments.

After all, isn't Mr. Frost one of our typical capitalists in town? Since his arrival in our midst has he not performed all the functions of the capitalist par excellence? Has he not with his capitalist's wand set more buildings to the square foot in this town than any other man? Is he different from the man who uses his money to help build railroads or mills? Is the return on investment of capital called "rent," morally better than the return termed "interest"? The coupon-cutting argument would better be dropped, for it is a boomerang. I am not criticizing my capitalist friend for his enterprise; on the contrary I think that he, like all constructive capitalists, is doing useful service; but he is in no position tactically for assailing men who are still laborers, and who cannot yet rest on their oars and merely rock the boat.

"It is an historical fact that idealists are not long able to breathe attenuated air," says our former theologian, and we shall not quarrel with this candid revelation of personal experience.

I frankly enjoy my friend's fun at the expense of my "dead men." Of course, he has never heard of a legacy providing for hospitals or memorial libraries. It's a queer twist that led him to think anyone proposed that the town build and pay and then wait for post-mortem returns. When I expressed the hope that some citizens might leave money for a well-conceived purpose, of course I was not thinking of the dear old Roman — he will have naught of such things dead or alive!

I fancy that heaven will not be heaven for our friend, unless he can rise in the celestial town meetings and protest against the reckless extravagance of golden pavement and many mansions when good old Red Spring gravel and clustered bungalows would serve the purpose as well.

After the storm — come, see the rainbow!

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Frederic G. Moore Resigns as Organist

A surprise came in musical circles Sunday when Frederic G. Moore played his last service as organist and director of music at the South church, retiring after fifteen years of valuable, faithful service.

For some time Mr. Moore, because of his increasing duties as secretary of the Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance Company, has considered this step and he retires with the best wishes of a wide circle of friends.

Mr. Moore was for ten years the organist at the Brighton Avenue Baptist church, Boston, and for two years at the Baptist church, Malden. He succeeded David Shaw as the organist at South church and had developed a chorus choir of forty voices which sang in the church service until a year ago when the quartet was organized. Mrs. Moore was soprano soloist for a number of years and retired a few weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore have both been very prominent in local musical circles and have given freely of their services on many occasions.

His successor has not been chosen but Douglas Porrell of Haverhill will substitute till the end of May.

Work Resumed in Shawsheen

Work on the new construction in Shawsheen village, which was discontinued three months ago because of labor troubles, was resumed on Wednesday morning, and confidence is felt by those in charge that conditions will soon be normal. Following the posting of notices by the American Woolen company announcing a wage cut varying from 10 to 22 1-2 per cent, affecting all artisans, mechanics and laborers employed in the building operations in Shawsheen village, the men did not report for work after January 20th and work has practically been at a standstill since that time.

In the last few days, since the contractors decided to resume operations regardless of the wage scale fixed by the unions, more than five hundred men have applied for work and from these have been selected a number necessary for immediate need.

The Turner Construction Company has a force of a hundred men working on the American Woolen warehouse and the garage. Of these men, one-third are skilled workmen, carpenters and iron workers, and the other two-thirds are unskilled laborers.

Work on the pharmacy building and house construction is going forward in charge of the Chester H. Patten Company. Only about twenty-five per cent of the men employed by this company in January are now at work although the number will be added to as the necessity arises. Much of the work, now in an advanced stage of construction and will speedily be completed.

Additional men have also been employed for work on the houses being built by the American Woolen Company.

The scale of wages offered by the contractors is as follows:

Masons, (stone, brick), .95; plasterers, .95; masons' tenders, .60; plasterers' tenders, .70; common laborers, .55; carpenters, .85; plumbers, .85; steam fitters, .85; electricians, .85; roofers, .85; painters and paper hangers, .85; lathe, .80; hoisting engineers, .90.

Dramatic Department Entertained

The annual entertainment given by the Dramatic Department of the November club postponed from February 21st was presented after many vicissitudes on the afternoon of Friday, April 15th, before a fair-sized audience.

The first play was a dramatization of "The Three Gifts," a short story by Florence Converse which came out in the Atlantic Monthly for September, 1905. The problems of a strike with the complications of mob violence, the rights of unions and the responsibility of the individual form the theme of the story. These questions are settled by Bridget, the idealist, who by the power of her love, though unrequited, persuades the man she loves to sacrifice himself for the good of his union. This part was sympathetically portrayed by Mrs. Douglas Crawford.

The frivolous sister whose more superficial charms have captured the heart of Tim Riley, the motorman, was played by Miss Elizabeth Bartlett.

Miss Bessie P. Goldsmith appeared as Tim Riley, a motorman out on strike, who incited by mob spirit in a fit of uncontrolled passion has just killed a scab. "Granny from Ireland" who "sees death" in her teacup was played by Miss Bell J. Butterfield.

The second play was Susan Glaspell's "Suppressed Desires," which was first presented by the Provincetown Players at the Wharf theatre in 1914 and has since been a favorite choice for amateur actors.

The troubles of the Brewster family who have gone in for psychoanalysis, with the interpretation of dreams involving the absurd word-play on the family names of Stephen B. Brewster and Henrietta proved most entertaining to the audience.

Mrs. Brewster's enthusiasm for psychoanalysis is about to make converts of her husband and sister. As family affairs reach a crisis and "petrified social conventions" are on the verge of being smashed Mrs. Brewster decides that one needn't necessarily give way to "suppressed desires" and everyone is restored to a rational state of mind.

The devotee of psychoanalysis was played by Mrs. Cornelius Wood; her sister, the reluctant convert to the new science, by Mrs. Nathan C. Hamblin; the harassed husband by Mrs. Frank Benton.

During the changing of scenes piano duets were rendered by Mrs. W. Dudley Yates and Mrs. Edmund B. Haynes.

The cast of characters was as follows:

THE THREE GIFTS
Mrs. Moran - Miss Bell J. Butterfield
Bridget, her granddaughter - Mrs. Douglas Crawford
Kathleen, her granddaughter - Miss Elizabeth Bartlett
Tim Riley, a motorman - Miss Bessie P. Goldsmith
SUPPRESSED DESIRES
Stephen Brewster - Mrs. Frank M. Benton
Henrietta Brewster, his wife - Mrs. Cornelius A. Wood
Mabel, Mrs. Brewster's sister - Mrs. Nathan C. Hamblin

Stereopticon Lecture on Russia

On Sunday evening in the Free Church Richard O. Atkinson of Boston will give an illustrated talk on Russia. Mr. Atkinson was sent there in 1917 by the American government to do propaganda work in the Russian army. Mr. Atkinson was in a position to get many striking pictures of the Russian front. He was in Petrograd when that city was captured by the Bolshevik army and had several narrow escapes from death. His photographs give a graphic picture of many extraordinary events and his lecture is both fascinating and instructive. So little is known of this great country, its resources and conditions, that it will be well worth while to listen to the story of a first-hand and trustworthy observer.

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BARNARD PRIZE SPEAKING

(Continued from page 1)

rection of Miss Baxter made its first public appearance and the Girls' Glee club rendered two selections.

The members of the orchestra are as follows:

Edna Lawrence, Frances Morgan, Marie Brady, Seldon Billington, Edward Pritchard, Marion Henderson, C. Frederickson, violins; Dorothy Ryley, Walter Saunders, Theresa Proctor, Mildred Buck, mandolins; John Frederickson, cornet; Virginia Ramsdell, flute; Pauline Sanderson, piano; Everett Lawrence, drums.

The program:

- Bacon Munchausen Bennett
- School Orchestra
1. Should the Daylight Saving Law be Repealed? Percival Dove, Jr. '22
 2. Why Study Music? Dorothy L. Stevens '22
 3. Weather Lore and Superstition Margaret E. May '22
 - When Grandmother Dreams Beethoven
 4. Calvin Coolidge Gladstone Chandler '22
 5. Old California Kathleen Hart '21
 - Roses from the South Strauss
 6. The Chinese Students in America Arthur G. Fallon '22
 7. The Fathers of Socialism Bernard A. Sullivan '21
 8. A Pilgrim Girl—Humility Cooper Rachel N. Boutwell '21
 - Paradise of the North Bennett

Not a Popular Wish

The new clergyman was trying to raise a charitable fund just before Christmas and a man in the congregation said he would give \$100 to start it off.

"I don't know your name, sir," said the grateful clergyman, "but I thank you and I pray that your business may be doubled during the coming year."

There was a solemn hush in the congregation, punctuated here and there with something that sounded like a titter.

"What's the matter?" the clergyman whispered anxiously to the chairman, "Er—nothing—nothing," stammered the chairman, "only that gentleman happens to be an undertaker."

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WEST PARISH

Fannie S. Lewis was at her home on Lowell street, Saturday.

Mrs. Ida Shaw was in Lowell last week visiting relatives and friends.

Dorothy B. Cutler of Mt. Holyoke College was at home for the week-end.

Miss Jennie Boutwell is spending a week's vacation at her home on Shaw-shen road.

Stephen Marvin from Pennsylvania is visiting his sister, Mrs. William Corliss of High Plain road.

The Seaman's Friend Society will hold a social and supper at the West church vestry Thursday, April 28th at 7.45. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter and Mr. and Mrs. John Morrill are the committee on entertainment.

An educational study showing the value of milk in comparison with other foods is being shown in one of the large show windows of the Boston Store, Lawrence. The arguments are so cleverly shown and the whole exhibit so attractive in every way that a visit would well repay anyone.

Andover Grange will meet Tuesday evening at Grange Hall. The Ladies' Degree Team will work the third and fourth degree. Deputy E. D. Taylor of Methuen will inspect the Grange at that time. Supper will be served by Mr. and Mrs. William B. Corliss, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Ward and Mr. and Mrs. George M. Carter. All who have not been solicited for something else are asked to bring cake.

What might easily have been a very serious accident happened on Sunday afternoon at the point where Haggetts Pond road intersects Lowell street, when a Dodge Sedan owned and driven by Theron H. Lane of Salem street, in trying to avoid collision with another machine shot up a high bank and plunged into the cellar of the old Dixon barn. Strange to say, no one was hurt, and owing to the prompt appliance of the brake when Mr. Lane saw the cellar in front of him, the car made the plunge easily by the falling cellar wall and was itself uninjured. The banking was dug away by willing helpers, then with the aid of a pair of horses the car was raised slowly and backed out of its dangerous position.

Cotton Stalks Will Furnish Paper.

The possibilities of cotton stalks as a source of paper have long been suspected and experiments in this direction have been made, but for one reason or another it has never proved quite practical.

The nearest approach to success has been made recently, and it is announced that there is a plant at Greenwood, Mass., where 50 tons of paper are made every day from three times that amount of stalk.

Certain thin tubular fiber in the plant will make excellent cellulose for durable papers. It is strong and flexible. If a quarter of the annual supply of the cotton stalks of the South were put to this use each year there would be no need of a paper shortage in this country.

Reservation for Aborigines.

The commonwealth of Australia has taken steps for the preservation of the aborigines of that country and has assigned a tract of public lands in the northern territories as reservation for the tribes. It includes the Mann and Peterson ranges and practically the whole of Lake Amadeus. The governments of South and Western Australia have set aside adjoining areas for the purpose of this reservation.

In Plunk Center.

"Why do you doubt that my show will pack your insignificant town hall? It ran 300 times in New York."

"No offense, mister, and mebbe so. But she's got to be a purty good show to run one time yere."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

BALLARDVALE

UNION CONGREGATIONAL

Rev. A. H. Fuller, Pastor

10.30. Worship with sermon by the pastor, Sunday school to follow.
6.15. Christian Endeavor.
7.00. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Rev. C. E. Winttingham, Pastor

10.30. Worship with sermon by the pastor, Sunday School to follow.
6.15. Epworth League.
7.00. Union service.
7.00. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

Mrs. Frank Stafford visited her son in Lynn recently.

Mrs. Patrick Scott has been confined to her home by illness.

Miss Clara Moody is teaching school in Center Harbor, N. H.

Miss Kate O'Neil has gone to the Lawrence hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stafford of Melrose spent the week-end in the village.

Mrs. John Matthews of Salem, N. H., is gaining slowly after her recent operation.

Miss Minnie Shattuck of Salem, N. H., spent Tuesday with friends in the Vale.

William Dane and Andrew Steed spent Monday and Tuesday at Noank, Conn.

Miss Alice Coates of the Homeopathic hospital, Boston, visited her parents last Sunday.

Miss Louise Coates of Manchester, N. H., spent the holiday at her home on Marland street.

Misses Hazel Buck and Marion Matthews have been spending a few days in Providence, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Matthews and Paul Irish of Lowell visited relatives in the Vale on Tuesday.

John Riley is having electric lights installed in his house on Oak street. Charles Hill of Andover is doing the work.

Mrs. Prudence Brown and Mrs. Mildred Brown and son Buddy spent Patriots Day with Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Amesbury.

William Kensington of Malden is building a log cabin on the shore of Pumps Pond. This camp will be used by the Boy Scouts during the summer.

At the annual session of Merrimac Valley lodge of Good Templars which was held in this town last Tuesday, Mrs. R. A. Wilkinson was elected District Vice Templar.

Obituary

PATRICK LYNCH

The funeral of the late Patrick Lynch was held on Tuesday morning in St. Joseph's church. Rev. Fr. P. J. Campbell officiated. Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery, Andover.

The deceased was born in County Caven, Ireland, in 1854 and came to this country when seventeen years of age.

He was employed in the old lamp shop as a metal polisher. For a number of years previous to his death he worked in the Bradley mills where he will be missed by a large circle of friends.

He leaves to mourn his loss, one son, Joseph P. Lynch, and two grandsons, Thomas W., and Joseph S. Lynch of this town.

Want Games

The Ballardvale All Stars would like to arrange games with out of town teams.

William Steed has been elected as manager and John Cronin captain. For games apply to William Steed, Center street, Ballardvale. Telephone Andover 489-1.

Club Hike

The Sawana Club held a very jolly party on the shore of Pumps Pond last Saturday afternoon. Games were played and luncheon enjoyed as only young people can enjoy such out-of-door good times.

The following were present: Margaret Shevlin, Margaret Benson, Doris Wilkinson, Bella Benson, Edna McGovern, Jean Edmunds, Doris Shaw, Norma Matthews, Caroline Grealish, Frances Benson, Mary Donovan, Ruth Davis, Rita Shevlin, Margaret Ferrier, Gladys McGovern, Catherine Curtin and Helen Batchelor.

Queen Esther Society

The girls of the Queen Esther Society of the Methodist church gave a very fine entertainment in the church last Monday evening. Each girl represented a different race of people and told what Home Missions had done for them. The program follows:

Singing, chorus; Motion song, Lilian Crompton; singing, chorus; motion song, Anita Wells; singing, chorus; motion song, Annie Kelson; solo, Jean Edmunds; reading, Mrs. Stubbs; cast, Home Missionary family; Doxology.

At the close of the entertainment Rev. C. E. Winttingham showed on the screen slides of the southland which proved of great interest to those present.

New Books at Library

The following new books can be had at the Ballardvale branch of the Memorial hall library:

Kahenber and Hart—Chemistry and its Relation to Daily Life.

Moore—Industrial History of American People.

Peabody—Elementary Biology.
Roosevelt—Letters to His Children.
Bassett—Flood-tide.
Grey—Mysterious Rider.
Grimshaw—Terrible Island.
Onions—Sweet Stranger.

Nantucket Drops the Bars

"When flivvers flit on Nantucket" must be blue-penciled from the dictionary of similes, no longer does it qualify as a never-never phrase in the annals of Nantucket, for flivvers, not to mention automobiles, are flitting the high and low ways of America's land-end isle to the eastward. After a battle of years, by use of the Australian ballot, the bars have been voted down.

Could you see the picturesque gray town, sitting primly close about the harbor, for all the world like the Quaker meeting it used to be, you would understand better the stubborn spirit that made history of the long, stern fight over motor travel. Reserve is born and bred in the native families—a certain gentle self-sufficiency which makes "foreigners" apologize for not having kin on the island.

Assorted factors entered into the beginning of the "great fight" on Nantucket—probably the last stand of automobile opposition in America. The opening wedge was driven by the town's fear of conflagration, one which dates from a midsummer day of 1846 when thirty-six acres in the heart of the compactly-built harbor village were razed by flame. Remembrance of this tragedy led the town, in 1912, to purchase a motor-driven chemical truck.

Then the anti appealed to the legislature for a blanket exclusion law and got a referendum. The vote showed a majority of 140 against admission of the disturbing element.

Fear of better roads was perhaps the most amazing argument of the islanders. Their in-fused viewpoint may be expressed in the local newspaper's heading for the summary of a year's events: "We are glad to record that there have been no murders, no suicides, no burglaries—no great sensations."

Not for four bitter years, in which were born enemies that will thrive until the participants go "westward with both anchors down," was the matter again brought to the polls—and with secret ballot.

The result was a narrow margin of forty votes and the special exclusion law of 1914 was repealed.

Nearly two hundred cars are owned by native Tucketers and so many more cars than carriages crowd under the tree roof of Main street in morning market hours and at evening band concerts that a regulation recently was passed requiring diagonal parking on a twenty-minute limit. Otherwise the general motor laws of the commonwealth of Massachusetts are all that the solitary traffic "cop" is called upon to administer.—April Motor.

Do not attempt to remove a label from cloth by wetting it. Simply draw the cloth in a bias direction, first one way, then the other, and it will come off quickly, leaving the cloth clean and without injuring the fabric.

PREPARING TURF FOR FUEL

New Method, Said to Have Originated in Russia, May Result in Relieving Shortage.

A new method of drying turf to relieve the serious fuel shortage in Finland has been put in operation in various Scandinavian countries. The new method was invented by engineers working under orders from the Russian soviet government, to find a more labor-saving method of preparing turf as fuel for the great central power station near Moscow, the process being made known in Finland through an escaping engineer. The fundamental principle of the process is quite simple. The raw turf in the swamp, by a powerful jet of water under a pressure of 20 atmospheres, is freed from all old roots and changed to thin mud. This is pumped out on a drying field and spread in layers. When sufficiently dry it is cut into bricks of uniform size by means of a tractor. The turf pump is constructed like an ordinary water turbine, is reversible with aid of electric motor, is equipped with a cutting apparatus which completes the work of the water-jet, and can be raised or lowered as the surface of the mud varies. The entire equipment is mounted on a car which can be pushed forward or backward on rails along the line of work.—Scientific American.

Convicted by the Bible.

Law founded on the Bible is good enough for Mayor Gilmore of Morgantown, W. Va.

A local man charged with not having the tail light burning on his automobile was arraigned before the mayor, who assessed a fine of \$3.

The accused protested, said it was a poor law under which he was fined and that he did not think it would hold water in court.

The mayor declared any law founded on the Bible was good enough for him. The defendant said he couldn't see where a tail light had anything to do with the Bible. The mayor looked pityingly at the accused, and said:

"Do you remember the tale about the ten virgins, five of whom had lights and five of whom didn't? Well, if you do, you will remember that the Lord wouldn't have anything to do with the five without lights, and neither will this court."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

EXPERIENCED Agricultural School student wishes work on private estate, caring for cattle, poultry, or garden. Good mechanic, has chauffeur's license, and has no bad habits. Apply to ARTHUR GREENWOOD, 125 Tyler Street, Methuen, Mass.

FOR SALE—New Milch cow. Apply to FRANK E. DODGE, Park street.

LOST—Between Elm Square and the Hill, a gray pocket book, containing sum of money. Finder please leave at 225 So. Main St., Andover, and receive reward.

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Monday and Tuesday, April 25-26

Andover Savings Bank

The following pass books issued by the Andover Savings Bank have been lost and applications have been made for the issuance of duplicate books. Public notice of such applications is hereby given in accordance with Section 40, Chapter 90 of the Acts of 1908. Payment has been stopped.

Book No. 30431
Book No. 30585
April 8, 1921
FREDERIC S. BOUTWELL, Treas.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

ESSEX, SS. PROBATE COURT
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Elizabeth A. Hanson, late of Andover in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Alfred W. Hanson of Andover, in the County of Essex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Haverhill in said County of Essex, on the twenty-fifth day of April, A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, HARRY R. DOW, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.
HORACE H. ATHERTON, JR., Register



TOWN OF ANDOVER

Notice is hereby given that the following person has made application to the Board of Selectmen for a license of the third class to sell certain non-beverage intoxicating liquors for the year ending April 30, 1922, under the provisions of Chapter 138 of the General Laws.

Franklin H. Stacey, Druggist, Musgrove Building, Elm Square, Andover, Mass.
WALTER S. DONALD
CHARLES BOWMAN
ANDREW MCTERNEN
Selectmen
Andover, April 22, 1921.

TOWN OF ANDOVER

Sealed proposals for shingling the old school house building at Ballardvale will be received by the Board of Selectmen until 4.00 P. M. Monday afternoon, May 2, 1921, at the Town House. Specifications are on file at the Selectmen's Office and can be seen any day from 9.00 to 12.00 A. M., and from 2.00 to 5.00 P. M. Also Tuesday and Saturday evenings.

WALTER S. DONALD
CHARLES BOWMAN
ANDREW MCTERNEN
Selectmen
Andover, April 22, 1921.

TOWN OF ANDOVER

PUBLIC HEARING

Lyle Brothers, 14 Park Street, Andover, Mass., having made application to the Board of Selectmen for a license to keep, store and sell gasoline to the amount of 500 gallons, to be stored in an underground tank (the rear of 14 Park Street in said Town of Andover, Notice is hereby given that a public hearing on said application will be held at the Town House on Friday, May 6, 1921, at 7.30 P. M., in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 370, Acts of 1904, as amended by Chapter 280, Acts of 1905, and Chapter 502, Acts of 1908.

WALTER S. DONALD
CHARLES BOWMAN
ANDREW MCTERNEN
Selectmen
Andover, April 22, 1921.

TOWN OF ANDOVER

ASSESSORS' NOTICE

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 29, Chapter 59, General Laws, all persons, firms, and corporations, domestic or foreign, subject to taxation in the town of Andover, are hereby notified and required to bring in to the assessors of said town, on or before the 15th day of May next, true lists. In case of residents a true list of all their polls and personal estate not exempt from taxation, of which they were possessed on the first day of April in the current year, and in case of non-residents and foreign corporations a true list of all their personal estate in said town not exempt from taxation, which lists must be verified by oath as required by section 31 of Chapter 59, General Laws.

Under the provisions of Section 29 and 30, Chapter 59, General Laws, the above mentioned lists must be in form prescribed by the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation of the Commonwealth. These blank forms may be had at the Assessors' office, or will be mailed to any address upon application.

Section 34, Chapter 59, General Laws. A mortgagor or mortgagee of real estate may bring in to the assessors of the town where it lies, within the time prescribed by the notice under section twenty-nine, a sworn statement of the amount secured thereon or on each separate parcel thereof, with the name and residence of every holder of an interest therein as mortgagor or mortgagee. If such property is situated in two or more places, or if a recorded mortgage includes two or more estates or parts of an estate as security for one sum, such statement shall include an estimate of the interest of the mortgagee in each estate or part thereof. The assessors shall, from such statement or otherwise, ascertain the proportionate interests of the mortgagor or mortgagee respectively in said estate, and shall assess the same accordingly. If, in any year, such statement is not brought in, the tax for that year on such real estate shall not be invalid merely for the reason that the interest of the mortgagee therein has not been assessed to him.

In accordance with Section 29 aforesaid, all persons, except corporations making returns to the Commissioner of Insurance as required by section 38, Chapter 176, General Laws, are hereby required to bring in to the assessors, on or before the 15th day of May next, true lists of all real and personal estate held by them, respectively, for literary, temperance, benevolent, charitable, or scientific purposes on the first day of April, in the current year, or at the election of such corporation on the last day of its fiscal year last preceding said April first, together with statements of the amount of all receipts and expenditures for said purposes during the year last preceding said day; such lists and statements to be in accordance with blanks furnished by the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation.

April 1, 1921.
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The Bookstore Gift Corner

The Jubilee of the Woman's American Baptist Foreign Mission Society

New England District will welcome her daughters and those of New York and Atlantic Districts, April 26-28 to celebrate the jubilee of the Woman's American Baptist Foreign Mission Society. While the Woman's Baptist Foreign Mission Society—now the Woman's American Baptist Foreign Mission Society—was organized April 3, 1871, in the Clarendon street church, the celebration occurs at the time of the annual meeting of the New England District.

One of the interesting features of the program is a reception to the national and district officers and foreign delegates in the First Church, Tuesday evening, April 26th, at eight o'clock. The World-Wide Guild members will entertain the guests with a dramatic exercise written by Miss Margaret Applegarth, entitled, "The Stuff Dreams are Made Of."

Wednesday morning will be given up to reports and business of the New England District, at its annual business meeting, with several addresses by missionaries who represent the district.

At 1.20 on Wednesday afternoon, April 27th, the train for Newton Centre will carry hundreds of guests to the place where the Society really began, in the hearts of Mrs. Carpenter, of Burma, and her sister, Mrs. Alvah Hovey. Here, too is the home of the first president, Mrs. Gardner Colby, who served the Society for twenty years. Others of that group are Mrs. Galusha Anderson, Mrs. Stearns and Mrs. Bentor. Their children and grandchildren still carry on their blessed work in this old town, which furnishes the historic setting.

For the afternoon program there will be a thanksgiving service, reminiscences from the three districts, a group of descendants of the founders will be welcomed, there will be addresses by former presidents, and other interesting features with the closing words from Dr. Frederick L. Anderson, son of one of the pioneers, president of the General Foreign Mission Board, and advisor and friend of the Woman's society.

Then all are invited "to tea" with the Newton Centre circle in Bray Hall. They will have no new-fangled banquet. After toasts to many, including devoted husbands, whose wives have often left them at the call of board and annual meetings, comes the pageant in the church. This was written by our president, Mrs. W. A. Montgomery, and is entitled, "The Call and the Answer." Dr. Arbuckle, pastor of the Newton Centre church, master of the art of pageantry, has consented to direct this, and with his skill and the beautiful church, it will be worthy of the Society which it represents.

Thursday the meetings will be held in the First Church, Commonwealth ave-

nue, Boston. Dr. de Blois, the pastor, will welcome the guests. There will be reports of the jubilee committees of the three districts, an address, "The Woman's Society and its Work at the Home Base" by Dr. Anderson, with testimonials from men of our various mission fields, who will tell what women have accomplished on these fields.

Thursday afternoon we shall welcome our foreign delegates, among them Dr. Ma Saw Sa, F. R. C. S., our famous doctor, head of the Dufferin Hospital, Rangoon; Khanta Bala Roy, a teacher from Bengal Orissa, of the Free Baptist church, one of the hundreds of Christian teachers trained through our woman's foreign mission work; Dr. Nandamah of our Lone Star Mission in the Telugu field brings greetings; Nakagi San represents the Bible Training school in Osaka; Grace Kan is a kindergarten from Hangchow, China; Madame Kolator represents the women of our Baptist church in Czechoslovakia, and Miss Wencke will bring to us the story of the Baptist women who need our help in Poland. There is a possibility that we may have one also from the Philippines. These representatives will demonstrate the value of the Society that has made such Christian womanhood possible.

The closing address on Thursday afternoon will be by our national president, Helen Barrett Montgomery.

At 5.30 p.m., comes the banquet, when our foreign guests will respond to toasts, and we shall have addresses by President Pendleton of Wellesley, and President Faunce, of Brown University, closing with a picture lecture, showing the progress of our Society. It is hoped that men as well as women will attend these last two sessions and the historic meeting and pageant Wednesday at Newton Centre.

New England women are making great preparations and especially urge that any descendants of pioneers will send in their names and come if possible to the celebration.

—The Watchman Examiner

Real Estate Transfers

The following deeds were recorded at the Lawrence registry of deeds office during the past week:

Helen F. Dyke to John A. Anderson. Anna H. Richards to Margaret E. Carey, et al.

Henri Betit, et ux. to George Matton. Edmund M. Warren, et al. Trs. to Cronce Antonelli.

Margaret Williamson, et al. to Frank Williamson. Frank Williamson to Andrew Basso.

George D. Ward to Margaret J. Ward. Margaret J. Ward to George D. Ward.

Edward L. Merrick to John McCarthy.

ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED

(Continued from page 1)

ranged and in view of the untiring efforts of Mr. Taylor it was decided to name the new organization Clan Johnston. A charter was secured and on April 3, 1908, the new clan was organized with the following officers: Chief John MacDonald; past chief, William Cunningham; tanist, Thos. Thin; chaplain, George Baxter; secretary, John Ryley; financial secretary, Thomas Bruce; treasurer, Samuel R. Harris; senior henchman, James Ryley; henchman, Edwin Nicoll; senechal, David Moncur; warden, George Guthrie; sentinel, John Munroe; physician, Dr. Grant. The officers were installed in the old Workman hall on Main street, now demolished.

The charter members were: George Guthrie, William Morrissey, John MacDonald, Thomas Thin, John Munroe, John Ryley, James Ryley, Edwin Nicoll, Samuel R. Harris, Edward Manning, John Wyllie, Thomas Bruce, William Ireland, James MacPherson, David Innes, Fred Irvine, William Cunningham and George Baxter. The Clan passed through stormy and cloudy periods in its early days but kept on growing and members looked forward to meeting nights with keen interest. The same officers were re-elected in 1909 and although a hard struggle was necessary to keep going, the Clan ran a successful fair in the Town hall and also initiated the Burns anniversary concerts which, with the exception of one year during the World War, have been continued and are eagerly looked forward to by the citizens of the town.

Clan Johnston sent its first delegate to the Royal Clan convention at Manchester, N. H., in 1909 and John Ryley was its representative, and in 1910 he was made chief, succeeding John MacDonald. Chief Ryley had a successful year and conducted the office with great ability. Thomas Thin, regarded as the father of the Clan, was chosen chief in 1911 and his interest in the Clan is just as keen today. Arthur Innes represented Clan Johnston at the Royal Clan convention that year and like Chief Ryley was rewarded with the chieftainship which he held throughout 1912 and part of 1913, when he resigned after serving part of his term, and was succeeded by Edwin Nicoll, who carried on through 1914.

Then came the World War and Clan Johnston members were the first to answer the call, week after week finding members sailing overseas to fight for Democracy. In 1915 William Hodge became chief and he was followed by Robert Dobbie, who gave a fine administration during trying times. America entered the war in 1917 and the call to arms found many members en-

rolled in the A. E. F. Samuel R. Harris led the Clan and by his courageous and fearless administration was re-elected in 1918. It was well that during these years the Clan had so able a guide. The war made inroads into the membership and thirty-four were enrolled on the honor list. Three paid the supreme sacrifice and failed to answer the call at the welcome home in 1919.

With the boys home, Clan Johnston began to take on new life and Robert Williams was elected chief. On account of business he could not serve through the year and Past Chief Dobbie again took up the reins. He was succeeded by John McGrath in 1920, whose administration was up to the high standard set by his predecessors.

Then came 1921 and Clan Johnston honored one of its heroes with the high office of chief, William A. R. Gordon, who is filling the post with great ability. The Clan has been honored in having two of its past chiefs named as royal deputies. Thomas Thin served in 1915-16 and Robert Dobbie is the present royal deputy and the faithful service of these men deserved the high honor which has come to them.

Clan Johnston lost three of its most promising members on the field of battle, Sergt. James Cavan, Sergt. William Rae and Corp. David C. S. Croall. Death has also taken prominent members in William Coutts, Edward Thomson, Samuel Murray, William Benson and Robert Thin.

The record of Clan Johnston in the thirteen years of its existence, has not been surpassed by any other organization in town and its future has much promise for years of successful work not only at the Clan "moot" but in the life of the community.

The concert program was as follows:

Address of Welcome W. A. R. Gordon, chief
Soprano Solo—"My Ain Wee Home"
Miss Annie MacEwan
History of Clan Johnston
George Baxter
Tenor Solo—"Your Eyes Have Told Me So"
Robert Cargill
Remarks and Presentation
Mrs. Robert Low, auxiliary president
Humorous Song—"Charlie MacNeil"
Recitation—"The Winter's Night"
Henry Fairweather

Soprano Solo—"When the Great Red Dawn is Shining"
Mrs. J. Ure
Baritone Solo—"Merry of Argyll"
David Forbes
Soprano Solo—"Flora MacDonald's Lament"
Miss Martha Jack
Tenor Solo—"My Love is Like a Red, Red Rose"
Thomas MacLeish

Audience

At the close of the concert, refreshments were served and dancing was enjoyed till midnight.

The committee in charge of the very successful celebration was as follows: John Elder, chairman; James Ruxton, David Robb, Robert Goddard, George Fyffe, Alexander Valentine and David Forbes.

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BALLARDVALE

Miss Catherine Dane celebrated her fifth birthday at her home on Patriot's Day.

Mrs. Mary Trow spent Tuesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Gordon Spear, Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Waite have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Martin McKee, Chester street.

The Willing Workers will hold a bakery sale in J. W. Stark's market on Saturday forenoon.

Mrs. C. Ruggles of Melrose, a former resident of the Vale, is visiting Mrs. George T. Byington, High street.

The Ballardvale mills resumed work on Wednesday morning. The mill is now running on a five-day schedule.

There will be a business meeting of the Epworth League this evening at the home of Samuel Moody, Clark road.

The Men's Club will meet in the Community room next Tuesday evening. Each member is urged to be present.

Patrick McGovern has severed his connection with the Lawrence Gas Company and will devote his time to his ice business.

Remember the play, "Aaron Slick from Punkin Creek," which will be held in Bradley Hall next Thursday and Friday evenings.

Community Service

A most interesting Community meeting was held in the Congregational church last Sunday evening. The speaker of the evening, Ignatius McNulty, chairman of the Board of Labor of the American Woolen Company, gave a brisk and up-to-the-minute talk on "Patriotism." He also spoke of his work in the World War in connection with labor conditions.

The last Union Community service will be held in the Methodist church on Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

A sacred concert will be given by the Harmony Quartet entitled "The Christ Story in Song."

The quartet comprises, first tenor, Hayden Stright, Penn.; second tenor, Walter Wood, West Va.; first bass, Bliss Wiant, Ohio; second bass, Harold Humbert, Oregon. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Large Number to be Received into Church

The first Sunday in May will be a memorable day in the history of the Union Congregational church of Ballard Vale. The largest accession to membership in the history of the church will be received at that time. The following is the complete list:

On Confession of Faith—Beatrice May Batchelder, Gladys Sula Bates, Isabella Ross Benson, Doris Sutherland Ferrier, Hohn Woodbury Hall, Jr., John Woodbury Hall, 3rd, Eleanor

Elizabeth Hall, Bertha Caroline Hall, Marion Lithgow Hall, Mrs. Alta May Matthews, Clester Elmer Matthews, Helen Vena Matthews, William Danie, McIntyre, Arlene Rosamond Miller, George Robert Miller, Alice Reed Moody, Helen Dorothy Schneider, Doris Agnes Shaw, Joseph Edgar Stott, Dorothy Elizabeth Wanamaker, Doris Evelyn Wilkinson.

By Letter—Eldon Ernest Fleury from the First Congregational church, St Albans, Vermont; Mrs. Harriette Smith Miller from the Baptist church, Houlton, Maine; Mrs. Alice Marion Schneider from the Salem Street Congregational church, Worcester; Miss Emily Baldwin Tracy from the Crescent Ave. Presbyterian church, Plainfield, N. J.

Ladies' Aid

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational church met with Mrs. C. Davies on Thursday afternoon, thirteen members being present.

Reports of the last meeting were read and approved. Mrs. William Douthy has invited the ladies to meet at her home on Andover street next Thursday evening. The members are requested to make a special effort to be present, as business of importance will come before the meeting at that time.

At the Wednesday evening meeting of the Union Congregational church a hearty and unanimous vote of thanks to the South church, Andover, was adopted for their generous and much-appreciated gift of seventy-five copies of the church hymnal formerly used by them. A vote of thanks was also extended to Frederick Cheever for calling the attention of the Assessors of the South church to the fact that the Ballard Vale church was in need of extra copies of this hymnal.

The following delegates to the Andover Association of Congregational churches and ministers to be held in Tewksbury next Tuesday were appointed at the Wednesday evening meeting of the Union Congregational church: Mrs. A. B. Loomer, Mrs. Irving R. Shaw, Mrs. William Shaw, Mrs. Joseph E. Scott, Mrs. Ada Wanamaker, Rev. Augustus H. Fuller, William Shaw.

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"Are we slovenly?" asks Clay Burleigh in the Boston Transcript. I am afraid we in Andover will have to answer "Yes." Where does all the waste paper in the streets come from—news-paper, wrapping paper, wall paper, letter paper, match boxes, candy boxes and even suit boxes! I know I never threw down a piece as big as a postage stamp, but I have picked up bushels of it.

Fortunately the picture is a little overdrawn for Andover, but here it is:

Are we slovenly? If the entire country is like some places, Boston, for instance, we are. I rejoice to say that there are some places not like Boston; Wellesley and Winchester, Mass., and Newport, R. I., for instance. A Swiss lady visited me last summer. I showed her about the city, took her to the State House, Public Library, etc. At the end I said, "Well, what do you think of Boston?" Her reply was, "It's very nice, but it's awfully dirty, isn't it?" It was awfully dirty. I was ashamed of it. The contrast between it and Berne, her home, must have been startling.

The fact is, Boston is plastered with dirty paper. It's almost as prevalent as leaves in the forest! Why, my part of the city is disgraceful! Newspapers, wrapping paper, torn envelopes, bags, boxes, meet one's eyes at every step and turn. Hedges are packed with it, shrubs are adorned (?) with it. Everywhere are the evidences of slovenliness. If there are laws against it, they are a dead letter. The trouble is a lack of love of cleanliness and order on the part of the people. Did you ever think that every single scrap of paper blowing about the street is there by somebody's shiftlessness? Some man, some woman, some boy or some girl is responsible for its presence there. If all people were like some people, Boston would be as spotless as any parlor floor. I know people who in a lifetime have never been guilty of allowing a square foot of paper to escape from their hands or their homes to be the toy of mischievous winds and a consequent disfigurement to a whole neighborhood. The truth is, the people themselves are the guilty ones. Were our laws as strict and as strictly enforced as those of some foreign cities, we should need many scavengers, I fear. There are cities abroad where the man who tears open his letter and drops the tiny bits upon the sidewalk is sure to be arrested if the policeman sees him do it.

But until the people love cleanliness and order and instinctively refrain from carelessly littering our streets and squares, the present deplorable conditions will continue. I was once an enthusiastic member of a Village Improvement Association which sought zealously and heroically to abolish the waste paper nuisance. By courteous placards we begged folks to deposit waste in beautiful barrels provided to receive their contributions. We appealed to them through the local press, we bought a lovely hand-cart and hired a handsome boy to go around the village and pick up every scrap of paper and even stray tin cans, discarded boots, and any other personal effects that came in his way, but it was all in vain. Forty boys could not have kept the village clean. A remorseless, never ceasing grist of defilement came from the mills of slovenliness which never ceased grinding. We gave it up in despair and tried to shut our eyes as we walked on our streets.

Personally, I am ashamed to invite my friends to Boston. If they come from a clean town or city, they are sure to be shocked, and, I always fear, think less highly of me myself! I hesitate to apologize for the evident slackness, trusting to the blind hope that they may not notice the universal disfigurement, and they doubtless remain silent fearing to hurt my feelings. My present state of mind is well expressed by the well known old Bible lamentation, "How long, oh Lord; how long?"

The dull and depressing weather of Monday afternoon and evening was forgotten by those who heard Professor Stephen Leacock lecture at the November club house and at the P. A. chapel, where dull care was forgotten and mirth reigned supreme.

We wonder if Mr. Leacock, too, doesn't get some fun out of his audiences. To watch our usually dignified and conservative townspeople as they gave way to unrestrained mirth was no small part of the entertainment.

Those who heard Mr. Leacock in the afternoon did not let the opportunity slip to hear this "distinguished" speaker again in the evening.

His choice of subjects—the making of moving pictures and modern short-story writing—were evidently chosen with a purpose. Through all his fun he aimed to point a moral, as was evidenced by remarks made after the lecture. To quote from Wednesday's *Phillipian*:

"After the speech, Professor Leacock expressed his views upon moving pictures in an informal manner to a *Phillipian* heeler, declaring that although he had never seen anything immoral about the movies, he deplored the superficiality and lack of true refinement they evidenced among the great body of people. It was clearly this sentiment that inspired him to express such a strong satire upon the moving pictures as an institution in his speech, and it may be surmised that his satire on magazine stories was moved by the same sentiment."

Too bad about the eclipse of the moon! Did you lose any sleep gazing at flying clouds and drizzling rain? If the eclipse had only been the night before!

The Townsman

Obituary

JAMES I. MILLIKEN

James I. Milliken, agent of the Everett mills, passed away at his late home, 180 Jackson street, Lawrence, Tuesday morning after a long illness. He was born at Saco, Me., March 9, 1850, and was the son of Captain and Mrs. David Milliken.

Mr. Milliken received his early education in the public schools and at Monson academy, Monson.

At the age of twenty-one years he was appointed overseer of the Finishing Department of the Slater mills, Slatesville, R. I., the oldest cotton mill in the country. His next position in the mill business was that of overseer of Finishing, and from that to assistant superintendent at the Palmer Mills, Three Rivers. In December 1888 he accepted the position of superintendent of the Everett mills and in January 1895 was appointed agent, which position he held to the time of his death.

He was a member of the First Free Baptist church, Lawrence, serving as chairman of the Standing Committee for many years and as superintendent of the Sunday School for twenty years, was vice president of the Lawrence City Mission, director Lawrence Boys' club, trustee and vice president of the Lawrence Savings Bank. For many years he served as vice president of the Massachusetts Sunday School association and was a member of various fraternal and social organizations among them being Monadnock lodge, 145, I. O. O. F.; Phoenix lodge, A. F. and A. M.; Ancient Order United Workmen, Lawrence Council Royal Arcanum, Monday Night club, Merrimack Valley Country club and the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

He is survived by his widow, four daughters, Mrs. Albion R. Allen of Providence, R. I., Mrs. J. M. Birdsall of Andover, and the Misses Esther C. and Lois H. Milliken; one son, James E. Milliken; two brothers, Almon A. and Roscoe S. Milliken of Nashua, N. H., and two grandchildren, John M. Birdsall, Jr., and Thayer Birdsall.

The funeral was held from the late residence at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The Pierian Concert

The Pierian Society of Harvard University gave an orchestral concert at 8:00 o'clock Friday evening in the Stone Chapel. The orchestra was led by Mr. Ernest H. Hoffman of the Boston Symphony Orchestra. The audience was small, but it gave the men from Harvard a good reception. The two soloists, Mr. F. S. Walls on the trumpet, and Mr. W. F. Manning on the flute, were both encores, and the whole orchestra gave an encore at the end. The best executed selections were the Suite, the Flute Solo and the Waltz. On the whole, the program, in spite of a few off notes, was well done, and worthy of a better audience. The program was as follows:

Coronation March from "Le Prophete" *Meyerbeer*
Overture Phedre *Massenet*
Trumpet Solo: "Inflammatus" *F. S. Walls*
Waltz: "Wine, Woman, Song" *Strawns*
Intermission
Two Russian Folk Songs *Jachia*
Flute solo: "Nocturne" *Behr*
Suite: L'Arlesienne *Bizet*
Overture *Farandole*
Harvard Songs: *Bigelow*
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Births

April 17, 1921, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Richards of the Old County Road.

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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Charles James Francis of 24 Central street announce the engagement of their daughter, Grace Murdock, to L. Dean Jenkins of Boston. Miss Francis, who graduated from Abbot Academy in the class of 1919, is now a student at the Museum School of Fine Arts, Boston. Mr. Jenkins is a graduate of Harvard University and during the World War served as an officer in France.

Abbot Academy Notes

On Sunday evening, Miss Margaret Slattery spoke to a large audience of students and Andover people. She has recently returned from a trip around the world, deeply impressed by the way the people look to America for help at this crisis, and the world catastrophe if America fails to play her part with large vision.

Tuesday evening the Glee and Mandolin Clubs gave a concert in Davis Hall for the benefit of the Abbot Loyalty Fund. In celebration of Patriots' Day, they had decorated the hall with flags, and they wore sashes of red, white and blue, and sang a number of patriotic songs. Andover girls in the clubs are: Edith Page, Phyllis Yates, Elizabeth Flagg and Marcella Moxley.

Miss Edith Wynne Matheson (Mrs. Charles Rann Kennedy) will read a program of lyric and dramatic poetry on Thursday, April 28th, at eight o'clock in Davis Hall. Miss Matheson is considered the most artistic actress in America; this winter she has not appeared in the theater, and Abbot and Andover are very fortunate in having an opportunity to hear her once more. It is hoped that her many Andover admirers will be able to attend her reading on Thursday evening. Admission fifty cents.

On Wednesday a squad of forty girls assisted Homer Foster in planting a thousand little trees on the hill slopes along Pomp's Pond.

The gymnasium classes under the direction of Mrs. Sarah Fletcher gave a demonstration of their work in Davis hall, Wednesday evening.

The tactics were executed with military precision and the free gymnastics, Indian club swinging and dumbbell exercises were performed with snap and precision. The acrobatic feats with the apparatus were the wonder of all beholders.

The folk dances, the Swedish weaving dance and the Irish jig added greatly to the interest and variety of the exhibition, the Swedish weaving dance being particularly well done.

The game of bound ball resulted in a victory for the seniors with a score of 6-2.

New P. A. Scholarships

Three scholarships to be known as The Roger C. Sullivan Scholarships of \$250 each are to be awarded at the end of the school year, to that member of each of the Junior, Lower Middle and Upper Middle classes who has shown during the year the greatest improvement in his studies. While it is understood that the competition for these scholarships is open to all members of the three classes mentioned, it is stipulated that in the event the scholarship is won by a boy of ample means who consequently does not require this aid in securing his education, the winner shall receive some emblem or token indicating his success and that the balance of the sum in question, after said token has been paid for, shall go to the nearest competitor of limited means. The determination of the award is in all cases left to the faculty.

The John P. Hopkins Scholarship of \$250 is to be awarded to that member of the school, whether of limited means or not, who has not been absent from or tardy at a school appointment and who has had no demerits recorded against his name during the year. In the event that no candidate with this record is available, or in the event of a tie or several ties, the award is to be determined by the faculty and on the basis of the candidate's scholarship and general record.

Exhibition by Guild Girls

The Andover Guild closed a successful season with the exhibition of girls' work on last Friday night. A large number of parents and friends witnessed the well-drilled classes as they went through their various exercises.

The work of the Senior girls was in charge of Miss Esther Bennett of Lowell and that of the juniors and high school girls was in charge of Miss Vivian Taylor of Lawrence.

The program was as follows:

Marching Tactics	Punchard Girls
Pierrot et Pierrette	Group from Aesthetic Class
Swedish Gymnastics	Seniors
"Krokovick"	
May Polka	
Free Arm Exercises: "Scrub scrub scrub"	Beginners
Wands	Punchard Girls
"Bad Boy and Good Girl"	
Intermission	
Dumb Bells: "Margie"	Sadie McLeish, Annie Ness
Dutch Dance	Juniors
Indian Clubs	Ruth and Jean Scannell
"Jolly Nights"	Punchard Girls
"Navy Taps"	May Valentine
Wands	Seniors
"Diana"	Dorothy Beley
"Diana's Hunters"	Juniors
Awarding of Honors and Pins	

Pins for perfect attendance were awarded as follows: Juniors—Margaret Purcell, Helen Black, Madeleine Kimball, May Valentine, Madeleine Rice, Mary Jane Baxter, Phyllis Wirtzberger, Jennie Cairnie, Hazel Polgreen, Margaret Sparks, Elizabeth Beer, Edith Johnson, Dorothy McCarthy, Lucy Sanborn, Helen Brown, Estelle Poisson, Susan Ripley.

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November Club Notes

Seldom have the walls of the November club house resounded to such sounds of spontaneous mirth as were heard on last Monday afternoon when Prof. Stephen Leacock entertained with original readings.

Mr. Leacock announced as his subject: "Heroes and Heroines of Fiction" and the adventurous Ned, type of the hero of children's stories, the mid-Victorian hero, heroine and villain, and the characters of modern fiction were in turn made the object of his wit. Readings from what purported to be an unpublished novel of his own was the

max of the afternoon's entertainment.

The Art Department will meet Monday April 25th, at half-past three at the clubhouse. The speaker will be Sidney M. Chase, author and illustrator.

The Department of Drama will meet with Miss Bell J. Butterfield on Friday, April 29th at three o'clock.

Why He Didn't Buy Carbonate

"Two penn-orth of bicarbonate of soda for indigestion at this time of the night," cried the infuriated chemist, who had been aroused at 2 a.m., "when a glass of hot water would have done just as well!"

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